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HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

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INTEREST ALLOWED.
ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
On Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
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Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.
G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, January 1, 1889. 363

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$500 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed to depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if carried on Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the present salary of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the
HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
G. E. NOBLE,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, January 1, 1889. 754

Intimations.

ROWLANDS' KALYDOR cures all kinds of skin diseases, such as eczema, psoriasis, and all other eruptions of the skin, and is the only medicine that can be used in all cases without any danger to the health.
ODONTO whitens the teeth, prevents decay, and gives a pleasing fragrance to the breath.
MACASSAR OIL preserves and beautifies the hair, and can be used in all cases without any danger to the health.
Wholesale and Retail Agents for China: A. S. WATSON & CO., Shanghai. 964

COLLEGE OF MEDICINE FOR CHINESE.

RESIDENTS in the Colony would be materially aided by the SHENATE of the COLLEGE by forwarding to the ALUMNI MEMORIAL HOSPITAL.
(1). Glass Jars (for museum purposes).
(2). Illustrated Papers and Books for the Student's Reading Room and Library.
Address to: JAMES CANTLIE, Hon. Sec. to the College.
Hongkong, August 7, 1888. 1317

Intimations.

ZETLAND LODGE.
No. 525.

AN Emergency Meeting of the above LODGE will be held in the FRANKLIN'S HALL, Zetland Street, THIS EVENING, the 18th Instant, at 8.30 for 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are cordially invited.
Hongkong, January 18, 1889. 78

MASONIC BALL—1889.

A MASONIC BALL, under the Auspices of the District Grand Lodge of Hongkong and South China, will be held at the CITY HALL on FRIDAY, the 15th February. Brethren wishing to subscribe, but who may not belong to a Lodge in this District, are hereby informed that Letters have been placed for their convenience at—
THE HONGKONG CLUB,
CLUB GERMANIA,
THE MASONIC CLUB,
THE OFFICE OF THE HONGKONG HOTEL,
THE OFFICE OF THE VICTORIA HOTEL,
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY,
THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY,
Messrs. DAKIN BROTHERS,
" LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.,
" KELLY & WALSH,
" MOORE & SEMOUR,
" FALCONER & Co.,
" CHAS. GAUPE & Co.
The Subscription is limited to \$10 for Masters, and \$5 for each Guest invited (Non-Masons).
ALF. WOOLLEY,
Hon. Secretary.
Hongkong, January 17, 1889. 102

HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAMWAYS COMPANY, LTD.

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8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour.
12 " 2 p.m. " half hour.
3 " 7 " " quarter of an hour.
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NIGHT TRAMS at 10.45 and 11 p.m.
SUNDAYS.
10.40 a.m.; 12½ to 3 p.m. every half hour.
3 to 7 p.m. every quarter of an hour.
Special CARS may be obtained on application to the SUPERINTENDENT.
Single Tickets are sold in the Cars; Five-Cent Coupons and Reduced Tickets at the Office.
MACLEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,
General Managers.
Hongkong, January 2, 1889. 2

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At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS,
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CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families.
Solo Address:
2, DUNDRELL STREET,
(Next to the New Oriental Bank.)
Hongkong, January 12, 1889. 68

HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Forty-fifth Ordinary Half Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Office of the Company, No. 18, Bank Building, Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 2nd February, at 12 o'clock (noon), for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Auditors.
The Treasurer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED on 20th Instant to 2nd February, inclusive.
By Order of the Board of Directors,
T. ARNOLD,
Secretary.
Hongkong, January 14, 1889. 69

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS and ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the HEAD OFFICE, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.
In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Under-Signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.
D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 25, 1888. 1458

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YOUNG & CO.'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS AND TELESCOPES. REPAIRS, LUGGERS and OTHER COMFORTABLE ADMIRALTY & TRAVEL CHARTS, NAUTICAL BOOKS.
English Silver and Electro-Plated Ware, CHRISTIE & Co.'s Electro-Plated Ware, GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY in great variety.
DIAMONDS

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A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 748

Business Notices.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Piano & Music Department.

THE following MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS and FITTINGS, have just been added to our list:—
VIOLINS (Copy of the Old Masters). VIOLIN BOWS, STRINGS (Johannes, Trinité Silk, Genuine Roman Gut, Real Silver etc.) BRIDGES, PEGS, TAIL PIECES, MUTES, CASES, RESIN, CHIN RESTS and CHIN PANS, &c.
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FLUTES and FUGUE MOPS, PICCOLOS and Piccolo Mops, CLARIONETS and CLARIONET REEDS, OBOES and Oboe REEDS, CORNETS (Gardner and other Models). SAXHORN, EUPHONIUMS, (4 Valves) TROMBONES, BOMBARDONS.
All Brass Instruments made on latest approved system (short models and large bore).
NIGGER BONES, CASTANETS, CELLO BRIDGES and CELLO STRINGS, CORNET SPRINGS and CORNET MOUTHPIECES, &c., &c.
FULL ORCHESTRAL and MILITARY BAND REQUISITES.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.
Hongkong, January 12, 1889. 69

ROBERT LANG & Co.,

Tailors, Hatters, Shirtmakers and Gentlemen's Outfitters.

HAVE RECEIVED THEIR SECOND DELIVERY OF WINTER COATINGS, TWEED and DRESS SUITINGS, TROUSERS, and ULSTER TWEEDS.
A Very Stylish Selection.
OUR OUTFITTING STOCK is ALSO COMPLETE in SEASONABLE GOODS.
QUEEN'S ROAD (opposite HONGKONG HOTEL),
Hongkong, January 14, 1889. 69

Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been much enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING HALL. The HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, READING, BILLIARD and Smoking Rooms. The HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.
Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE,
Proprietors.
Hongkong, September 16, 1888. 1612

W. POWELL & Co.

GREAT CLEARANCE SALE.

Special Offers for TO-MORROW (Saturday).
A LARGE LOT of TOYS and Fancy GOODS at Half Price.
MITS, GLOVES, SHAWLS, WOOL PETTICOATS, JACKETS, GAITERS, &c., &c., are all being sold at Reduced Prices.
W. POWELL & Co.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE, January 18, 1889. 67

Intimations.

BORNEO TIMBER.

THE BRITISH BORNEO TRADING AND PLANTING CO., LTD., are prepared to SUPPLY New and Valuable TIMBERS for SHIP and HOUSE BUILDING, FURNITURE, WHARVES, &c., in Round or Square Logs, Beams, or Sawed to any specification. Small samples can be seen at the Office, where also Price List and Description can be obtained, and larger samples at our Godowns at East Point.
The above Company have arranged for regular Shipments to be made by the FRIGATA, PERANA, and other large Steamers, direct to this port.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, October 23, 1888. 1779

RAMBLER THROUGH SOUTHERN FORMOSA.

By Mr. G. TAYLOR.
This Article, which has been reprinted from the China Review, contains one of the best Sketches of Formosa Life yet written. A long roughy-annotated Woodcut is included in the pamphlet.
May be had—Price, 1s.—at Messrs. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, Limited, Hongkong; also, Mr. N. MOORE, Albany, Hongkong, March 3, 1888. 363

Insurance.

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.
NORTON & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, July 15, 1887. 1340

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, AGENTS of the above Company, are authorized to insure against FIRE at Current Rates.
GILLMAN & Co.,
Hongkong, January 1, 1882. 14

THE LONDON ASSURANCE

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF His Majesty King George The First, A.D. 1720.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant INSURANCE as follows:—
Fire Department.
Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates.
Life Department.
Policies issued for sums not exceeding \$5,000 at reduced rates.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, October 15, 1888. 1760

Notice of Firm.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

MR. G. E. NOBLE has been Appointed CHIEF MANAGER of the BANK from 1st January, 1889.
By Order of the Court of Directors,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, December 31, 1888. 2221

Notices to Consignees.

FROM HAMBURG, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship *Albatros*, Capt. CHRISTIANSEN, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-signature by the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon To-day, the 16th Instant.
Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Kowloon Free and Godown Co. and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.
No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 22nd Inst. will be subject to rent.
All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 22nd Instant, at 4 p.m.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, January 16, 1889. 85

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE S.S. *Arratoon* having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the HONGKONG and KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns, at West Point, whence delivery may be obtained.
Cargo remaining undelivered after the 22nd Instant will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 22nd Instant.
Bills of Lading will be counter-signed by DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, January 18, 1889. 86

BOOK VOLUMES

OF THE

CHINA REVIEW.

may be had by applying at

THIS OFFICE.

Business Notices.

THE HALL & HOLTZ Co.

OPERATIVE COMPANY

TAILORS AND OUTFITTERS.

ARE NOW Showing an ENTIRELY NEW STOCK OF SEASONABLE GOODS in the above Departments, comprising TWEED SUITINGS, TROUSERSINGS, COATINGS, Diagonal and Superfine BROAD CLOTHS for Dress Suits, SERGES, VESTINGS, FLANNELS, &c., &c.
AN EXPERIENCED CUTTER has arrived from LONDON, and all Orders will be executed under his personal supervision. RIDING JACKETS and CAPS, RIDING BREECHES, &c. Fancy COSTUMES for FEMALE THEATRICALS and BATHS. Boys' and Youths' TWEED and VELVET SUITS made to Order.
The OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT has been stocked with a splendid Assortment of SILK, LAMB'S WOOL, and MERINO, HOSIERY, SHIRTS, COLLARS, SCARVES, TIES, BOOTS, SHOES, HATS, GLOVES, &c., &c.
READY-MADE ULSTERS and CHESTERFIELD OVERCOATS kept in Stock.
OVERLAND TRUNKS, GLASS FONE BAGS, and TRAVELLING CASES in all sizes.

QUEEN'S ROAD, Hongkong, January 16, 1889. 88

THE HALL & HOLTZ Co. OPERATIVE LTD.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on SATURDAY, the 19th January, 1889, at 2 p.m., at his Sales Rooms, Queen's Road—
SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c., comprising—
REF-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITS, BLACKWOOD MARBLE-TOP CENTRES and SIDE TABLES, ORIENTAL-COVERED COUCHES and CHAIRS, CHIMNEY GLASSES, PICTURES, and ORNAMENTS.
DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD, WHEATNOTS, COCKNEY, GLASS and PLATED WARE, DINING-ROOM CHAIRS, GLASS BOOK CASE and WRITING TABLE.
DOUBLES and SINGLE IRON BEDSTRADES, WARDROBES, WARDROBE with GLASS DOOR, CHEST OF DRAWERS, MARBLE-TOP TOILET TABLE and WARDROBE.
A COVING PIANO.
ONE JINRICKSHA.
&c., &c., &c.
TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.
J. M. ARMSTRONG,
Auctioneer.
Hongkong, January 15, 1889. 81

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

JULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, *Reims, France*, 1888, 1889, 1890, 1891, 1892, 1893, 1894, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, 1899, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911, 1912, 1913, 1914, 1915, 1916, 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920, 1921, 1922, 1923, 1924, 1925, 1926, 1927, 1928, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1943, 1944, 1945, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1951, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956, 1957, 1958, 1959, 1960, 1961, 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966, 1967, 1968, 1969, 1970, 1971, 1972, 1973, 1974, 1975, 1976, 1977, 1978, 1979, 1980, 1981, 1982, 1983, 1984, 1985, 1986, 1987, 1988, 1989, 1990, 1991, 1992, 1993, 1994, 1995, 1996, 1997, 1998, 1999, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2143, 2144, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190, 2191, 2192, 2193, 2194, 2195, 2196, 2197, 2198, 2199, 2200, 2201, 2202, 2203, 2204, 2205, 2206, 2207, 2208, 2209, 2210, 2211, 2212, 2213, 2214, 2215, 2216, 2217, 2218, 2219, 2220, 2221, 2222, 2223, 2224, 2225, 2226, 2227, 2228, 2229, 2230, 2231, 2232, 2233, 2234, 2235, 2236, 2237, 2238, 2239, 2240, 2241, 2242, 2243, 2244, 2245, 2246, 2247, 2248, 2249, 2250, 2251, 2252, 2253, 2254, 2255, 2256, 2257, 2258, 2259, 2260, 2261, 2262, 2263, 2264, 2265, 2266, 2267, 2268, 2269, 2270, 2271, 2272, 2273, 2274, 2275, 2276, 2277, 2278, 2279, 2280, 2281, 2282, 2283, 2284, 2285, 2286, 2287, 2288, 2289, 2290, 2291, 2292, 2293, 2294, 2295, 2296, 2297, 2298, 2299, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2303, 2304, 2305, 2306, 2307, 2308, 2309, 2310, 2311, 2312, 2313, 2314, 2315, 2316, 2317, 2318, 2319, 2320, 2321, 2322, 2323, 2324, 2325, 2326, 2327, 2328, 2329, 2330, 2331, 2332, 2333, 2334, 2335, 2336, 2337, 2338, 2339, 2340, 2341, 2342, 2343, 2344, 2345, 2346, 2347, 2348, 2349, 2350, 2351, 2352, 2353, 2354, 2355, 2356, 2357, 2358, 2359, 2360, 2361, 2362, 2363, 2364, 2365, 2366, 2367, 2368, 2369, 2370, 2371, 2372, 2373, 2374, 2375, 2376, 2377, 2378, 2379, 2380, 2381, 2382, 2383, 2384, 2385, 2386, 2387, 2388, 2389, 2390, 2391, 2392, 2393, 2394, 2395, 2396, 2397, 2398, 2399, 2400, 2401, 2402, 2403, 2404, 2405, 2406, 2407, 2408, 2409, 2410, 2411, 2412, 2413, 2414, 2415, 2416, 2417, 2418, 2419, 2420, 2421, 2422, 2423, 2424, 2425, 2426, 2427, 2428, 2429, 2430, 2431, 2432, 2433, 2434, 2435, 2436, 2437, 2438, 2439, 2440, 2441, 2442, 2443, 2444, 2445, 2446, 2447, 2448, 2449, 2450, 2451, 2452, 2453, 2454, 2455, 2456, 2457, 2458, 2459, 2460, 2461, 2462, 2463, 2464, 2465, 2466, 2467, 2468, 2469, 2470, 2471, 2472, 2473, 2474, 2475, 2476, 2477, 2478, 2479, 2480, 2481, 2482, 2483,

To-day's Advertisements.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.
PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANÇAIS.
FOR SHANGHAI, KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

The Co's Steamship
Ats. Commandant BONNEFOY,
will be despatched for the
above Ports TO-MORROW (SATURDAY),
the 19th Instant, at 11 a.m.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THERE will be NO COMPETITION
TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) at the Range
as previously notified.
The Monthly CHALLENGE CUP COMPETITION
will take place on SATURDAY, the
26th Instant.

A. SHELTON HOOPER,
Hon. Secretary.

Hongkong, January 18, 1889. 103

NOTICE.

SANITARY BOARD.

THE attention of OWNERS of PROPERTY
and their AGENTS is directed to Section
74 of Ordinance No. 24 of 1887, which
provides that No Person who shall ERECT
a DOMESTIC BUILDING shall allow the
same or any portion thereof to be occupied
until such Building shall have been exam-
ined by a duly authorized OFFICER of the
SANITARY BOARD and certified by him as
having been built in compliance with the
entire provisions of the Public Health
Ordinance.

Notice of the Completion of all such
Buildings, the Construction of which was
commenced after the passing of the Public
Health Ordinance, 1887, should be sent to
the Undersigned.

WM. EDWARD ORW, Acting Secretary.

SANITARY BOARD ROOM,
Government Offices,
Hongkong, 18th January, 1889. 106

STEAMSHIP AVE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London
or S.S. *Guadiana*, from Antwerp
or S.S. *Provence*, from Havre or S.S. *Comet*,
in connection with the above Steamer,
are hereby informed that their Goods
—with the exception of Treasure and
Valuable—are being landed and stored at
their risk at the Company's Godowns at
Bowring, whence delivery may be obtained
immediately after landing.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless
a notification is received from the Consignees
before 1 p.m. TO-DAY (Friday), request-
ing it to be landed here.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by
the Undersigned.
Goods consigned on condition of cash, one
cent per packet per diem.
All Claims must be sent in to me on or
before the 28th Instant, or they will not
be received.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, January 18, 1889. 104

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for any
Debt contracted by the Officers or
Crew of the following Vessels, during
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—
ARABIAN ADAR, Brit. steamer, Capt.
Olliver.—DAVID SASSON, Sons & Co.
GENERAL WILSON, Germ. steamer, Capt.
Schuckmann.—Molchers & Co.

DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA,

LIMITED,

CHEMISTS.

Dakin's

Carbolic Tooth Powder.

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The China Mail.

HONGKONG, FRIDAY, JANUARY 18, 1889.

The business done at the meeting of

Council yesterday was not very extensive.

Several very important announcements,

however, were made. The principal one

was the intimation that the Consulting Engi-

neer of the Colonial Office had approved of

the plans and estimates of the large Praya

Reclamation scheme initiated by Mr. Chater.

This result was to be expected. The utility

and benefit of the reclamation was gener-
ally acknowledged in the Colony, the only

difference of opinion being as to how the

large profit, estimated by the projectors at

\$50,000, should be apportioned. We

contended that as the foreshore to be re-

claimed was really the property of the

Colony this large profit ought not to go

entirely into the pockets of the marine lot-

holders. As the terms on which the scheme

has been approved have not yet been com-

municated, it is impossible to say to what

extent this contention, which His Excel-

lency admitted was a strong one and would

be submitted to the Home authorities, has

been upheld by them.—The announce-

ment with regard to the opening up

for building purposes of the Hill district

above Kennedy Road, was a disappointment

to many. News filters slowly through

trout of land into the market will be a

great benefit to the Colony, and ought to

be remedied for some years the great deficiency in

the matter of accommodation for European

residents which has raised house rents to

such an enormous figure that family life is

almost impossible to all but the richest

members of the community. Even if the

project for the removal of the military

from the centre of the town is not carried

out in the immediate future, the opening up

of this district and the extension of the

Praya ought to relieve the congestion for

several years to come.—The amendment

made in the interpretation proposals is,

we think, a decided improvement. It is, as

His Excellency says, as essential for an

interpreter to have a good knowledge of the

English language as to be conversant with

the vernacular. As this requirement has

not hitherto been paid much attention to,

especially as regards the Police Court, we

trust the change will make a decided im-

provement. There are one or two points

of detail in the proposals which we think

might have been improved, but on the

whole the scheme is a great step in the

right direction, and the sooner it is put into

operation the better. It is in a great

measure an experiment, the real character

of which can best be seen in the working.

MAILS BY THE GERMAN PACKET.—

The German Contract Packet *Natal* will

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THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL
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AND LOGGERS.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills
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RUSSIA.

ON SUNDAY, the 21st day of January,
1889, at 10 a.m., the Company's
Steamship **BAVERIA**, Captain Messers,
with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,
and CARGO, will leave this port for the
above places.

Shipping Orders will be granted till
noon, Cargo will be received on board
until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 4 p.m.
on the 10th January, 1889. (Parcels are not
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THE Steamship **GARLIC** will be
despatched for San Francisco, via
Yokohama, on SATURDAY, the 24th inst.,
at 1 p.m.

Connection being made at Yokohama,
with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan
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All Parcel Packages should be marked to
address in full, and same will be received at
the Company's Office, until 4 p.m. the
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First-class Fare granted as follows:—
To San Francisco \$200.00
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Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-
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allowed a discount of 10%. This allowance
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destined to points beyond San Francisco,
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Company's Office, addressed to the Collec-
tor of Customs, San Francisco.

For further information as to Freight
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C. D. HARMAN,
Superintendent.

Hongkong, January 8, 1889. 43

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Steamship **NATAL**, Commandant Such,
with MALES, PASSENGERS, SPECIE,
and CARGO, will leave this Port for the
above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for
London as well as for Mauritius, and ac-
cepted in transit through Mauritius for the
principal places of Europe.

Shipping Orders will be granted till
noon.

Cargo will be received on board until 4
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the 22nd January, 1889. (Parcels are not
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the Agency's Office.) Contents and Value of
Packages are required.

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Company's Office.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,
Agent.

Hongkong, January 15, 1889. 51

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4 p.m. on the day before sailing.

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until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing.

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Cargo for London will be conveyed direct
without transhipment, arriving one
week later than the ordinary direct route
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For further Particulars regarding
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E. L. WOODIN,
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, January 17, 1889. 59

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THE CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY
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RAILWAY LINES & STEAMERS.

THE British Steamship **BATAVIA**,
Commander, will be despatched for YOKO-
HAMA, B.C., and KOREA and YOKOHAMA,
on THURSDAY, the 7th February, at
3 p.m.

To be followed by the S.S. **PARTHA**,
on the 14th inst., and S.S. **ADYSSINIA**,
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